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Application Number 10/567,483		Filed May 21, 2007	PA S
For Temperature Sensitive State-Changing Hydrogel Composition and Method for Their Preparation			
Art Unit 1617		Examiner Marina Lamm	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
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